

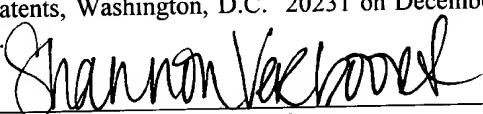
- I. Claims 1-19, 30-39, and 46-48, drawn to a dispenser system.
- II. Claims 20-29 and 45, drawn to a dispenser array.
- III. Claims 40-44, drawn to a method of dispensing.
- IV. Claims 49-58, drawn to an analyzer.

Applicants hereby elect without traverse group I, claims 1-19, 30-39, and 46-48, for prosecution in this application. Applicants have canceled without prejudice the remaining claims in this application, subject to their right to pursue these claims in a subsequent divisional or continuation application.

The Examiner is encouraged to call the undersigned attorney at (503) 224-6655 with any questions or comments.

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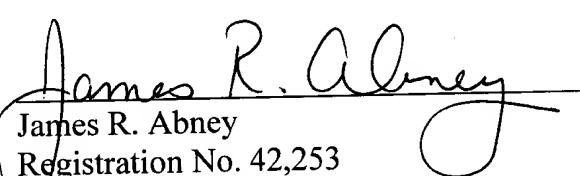


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